

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Friday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and hot.

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VICTORIA, B.C., THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1924

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Capitol—Twenty One.
Dominion—The Essex Sex.
Panopticon—The Custard Cup.
Playhouse—The Girl On The Film.
Columbia—The Circus Cowboy.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Vancouver Bank Robbers Took \$19,000 To-day

SIX PERSONS LOST LIVES
WHEN TEXAS HOTEL BURNED
AND BOY REPORTED MISSING

Thirteen Persons in Hospitals in Town of Ranger; Property Loss \$1,000,000; Twelfth Fire at Camp Lewis, Washington, Destroyed Butte Building; Work of Incendiary; Buildings in Portland Burned.

Ranger, Texas, July 24.—Six persons are known to have lost their lives, thirteen are in hospital and a boy is missing as a result of fire which early to-day destroyed the McClesky Hotel block here, with a property loss estimated at more than \$1,000,000.

Tacoma, July 24.—The Butte Building, used during the World War and since as a recreation centre at Camp Lewis, was burned down early last evening, the twelfth structure on the reservation to be so razed in the past few weeks. An incendiary is blamed. It was valued at about \$20,000.

PORTLAND LOSS

Portland, July 24.—The big pavilion of the Pacific International Livestock Exposition was consumed by fire last evening. The blaze also swept the Union Stockyards. The loss on the pavilion is estimated at \$500,000 and it is stated the total loss will probably amount to about \$1,000,000.

MILL BURNED

Tillamook, Ore., July 24.—A forest fire which started in a small way Tuesday night caused the loss here yesterday afternoon of the mill of the Tillamook Spruce Company. The plant had a capacity of 75,000 feet of lumber daily and was situated about two miles north of Tillamook.

BIG FOREST FIRE

San Francisco, July 24.—A fire in the Shasta National Forest southwest of Castle Crags, Shasta County, has destroyed 500,000 feet of logs and two automobiles of the Castle Crags Lumber Company and is racing uncontrollable toward the head of the forest, according to a message received here. The fire had burned over 1,000 acres at the time the message was sent.

CONSERVATIVE ELECTED
IN MACKENZIE; RECOUNT
DEFEATS M'KAY, LIBERAL

Election of Michael Manson, Conservative, for Mackenzie district, was conceded by Counsel for D. G. McKay, Liberal candidate, after the recount had progressed an hour and a half before Judge Cayley in County Court in Vancouver to-day. Without Mr. McKay the Government has twenty-three straight Liberal supporters and two independent Liberals, a total of twenty-five in a House of forty-eight.

Mr. McKay's counsel, J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., and H. S. Wood, then withdrew from the proceedings after stating they could be of no further assistance. Upon the first count of the 1,800 votes

voted by Returning Officer J. W. Parry, the Conservative candidate was declared elected by 135 majority; but on a recount at Powell River July 14 to 16, the result was reversed and Mr. McKay headed the poll, seven votes above Mr. Manson.

Moses Farris and Wood, after retiring from the recount, stated an attempt would be made to reverse Judge Cayley's finding, either by petition or appeal to the Court of Appeal.

Before the ballot boxes were opened, Judge Cayley heard a preliminary objection from Mr. Farris. This was that His Honor had no jurisdiction to conduct the recount because there was nothing on affidavit to show that the returning officer made a wrong count. In overruling this objection Judge Cayley considered matters which affected the validity of ballots.

Judge Cayley pointed out that (Concluded on page 2.)

PARTIES MARK TIME
AS FINAL COUNT OF
BALLOTS PROCEEDS

Government, Busy With Rate Fight, Not Hurrying to Call Followers Together

Arrange Seat For Premier; Bowser's Strength Grows; Conservatives at Sea

While returning officers in various parts of the Province are completing recounts of election ballots and preparing final results for the benefit of the public, both the major political parties are marking time now until the question of leadership in both is definitely settled.

No move will be made by the Government at this stage to call together its supporters and discuss the political situation. It is understood, Premier Oliver stated to-day that no plans for a Liberal caucus had been made and he did not anticipate any immediate action on the matter.

The party will run in one of the several constituencies offered to him by elected Liberal Members. Nelson is generally considered the riding which will be selected, but no final decision on this point has been made.

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WOMEN'S WAGES
HERE ARE WELL
ABOVE MINIMUM

Average Wage For Experienced Help Now \$17.14 a Week, Figures Show

Minimum Wage Board Plans Policy of Vigorous Law Enforcement

Employers of female labor in British Columbia, as a whole, are paying their help at a rate well above the legal minimum set by the Minimum Wage Act. The orders set by the Minimum Wage Board call for minimum wages to be paid, ranging in various occupations from \$12.75 to \$15.50 a week but the average wage paid for experienced help last year was \$17.14. This average does not take account of a small proportion of inexperienced help or girls under eighteen years of age, for whom a lower rate of pay is permitted during a limited period.

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E. W. BEATTY VISITS DENMARK ON
CANADIAN IMMIGRATION MISSION

Copenhagen, July 24—E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, accompanied by his European manager, Sir George M. Brown, arrived here to-day with the object of conferring with various authorities on the matter of obtaining for Canada emigrants of the classes which hitherto have been going to the United States.

It is understood Mr. Beatty has been empowered to offer special facilities and practically free farm land in Canada to Danish settlers, who are described as ideal pioneers.

Chicago Grain Man Says
World Wheat Shortage Near

No Parallel in History for Present Condition
Says J. E. Carney; Rapid Spread of Black
Rust in Manitoba is Denied by Experts

Chicago, July 24.—For the first time in history the world is facing an acute shortage of all bread and food grains, according to a statement issued to-day by J. E. Carney, an official of one of the largest grain houses in Chicago. Mr. Carney says he believes the United States farmers will realize \$2.00 bushel for wheat this season, \$1.25 a bushel for corn and 75 cents a bushel for oats.

ADOPTS VICTORIA
SUGGESTIONS ON
WILLIAM HEAD

Dr. Amyot Recommends
Quarantine Station Remain
Open Twenty-Four Hours

Vancouver Plea For Sub-Station Fails to Get Support From Deputy Minister

Considerable satisfaction is expressed by Victoria shipping men and members of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce that suggestions emanating from Vancouver for a sub-quarantine station so that boats bound for Vancouver could pass up William Head will be met with the probable opening of the William Head Station for twenty-four hours a day.

Dr. John A. Amyot, Deputy Minister of Health, paid a visit to Victoria last Monday and obtained information and figures on the boats coming to William Head to consider the claims of Vancouver shipping interests for a sub-station on the grounds that boats have sometimes to wait for from two to seven hours for clearance.

Dr. Amyot is now in Vancouver conferring with shipping interests and the Board of Trade in the city. Dr. J. Chester Brown, of the William Head Quarantine Station, is also in Vancouver attending the conferences, and is expected back in Victoria tomorrow.

Instead of opening the question of a sub-station Dr. Amyot has decided that service twenty-four hours a day, at the option of the ship during night, would take the place of putting in double equipment on this southwest coast of British Columbia. (Concluded on page 2.)

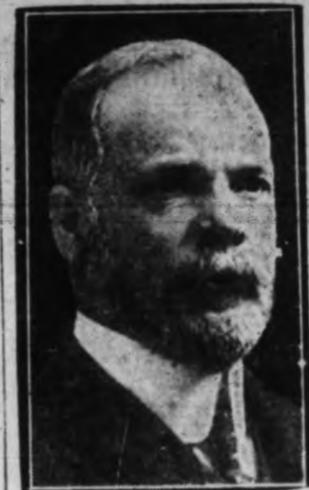
THE RECOMMENDATION
W. Bourke Cockran Estate in U.S. is Valued at \$555,647

New York, July 24.—The estate of the late W. Bourke Cockran, former United States senator, who died March 1, 1923, to-day was valued at \$555,647, after deduction of administration expenses, commissions and debts amounting to \$80,000 in an appraisal filed with the state tax commission.

The bulk of the property was left to the widow, Mrs. Anna L. Cockran, of Santa Barbara, California.

Big International Fair in Australia Is New Proposal

Sydney, Australia, July 24—A great international exhibition in Australia is proposed. The Australian commission at Wembley has been greatly impressed with the publicity and interest shown in the Empire Exhibition and believes the similar publicity would benefit the island continent if an international exhibition were held in Australia. (Concluded on page 16.)

WILL PRESIDE AT
TRIAL OF FORMER
DIRECTORS OF BANK

JUDGE COATSWORTH

HOME BANK TRIAL
SET FOR SEPTEMBER

Former Directors to Appear
Before County Judge Coatsworth in Toronto

Toronto, July 24.—It was announced here to-day that the former directors and officials of the Home Bank charged in connection with the suspension of that institution last August will face trial before Judge Coatsworth, senior judge of the York County Court, on the afternoon of September 9.

According to the crown authorities, the only changes in the indictment will stand, but proceedings will not be taken against A. E. Calvert, who was acting manager of the bank at the time of its suspension. He will probably be used by the crown as one of its principal witnesses. H. J. Daly, who was president of

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PROPAGANDISTS BUSY

Montreal, July 24.—Predictions from Chicago that the Canadian wheat crop would be a failure were characterized here to-day by James Carruthers, well-known grain exporter, as "propaganda put out by speculators," and as "greatly exaggerated."

Mr. Carruthers said also that the present high level of wheat would not last, and was due principally to "false reports of Canadian and United States crops."

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REVOLUTIONISTS' CAMPS
BOMBARDÉ; AEROPLANE DESTROYED SAY LEADERS

Advances on Centre and Left Wing in Sao Paulo Region Claimed

Revolutionists' Camps Bombed; Aeroplane Destroyed Say Leaders

Buenos Ayres, July 24—A communiqué issued by the Rio Janeiro Government and received by La Nacion states:

"The legal forces continue to advance. They are making gains continuously. To-day's advance was greater on the centre and left wing. Our aviators bombed the rebel concentration points. Another rebel aeroplane was destroyed."

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BURSTING OF TOY
BALLOON WAS CAUSE
OF DEATH OF CHILD

Los Angeles, July 24.—The bursting of a toy balloon which she was inflating with her breath caused the death of seven-year-old June Lamay here yesterday. A particle of rubber from the balloon caught in her throat and she died of suffocation before it could be removed.

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POLICE CHIEFS TO
MEET IN VICTORIA IN
JULY NEXT YEAR

Charles E. Hughes a Luncheon Guest of King George

Seattle, July 24—Victoria, B.C., will be the scene of the 1925 convention of the Northwest Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs. The decision was made by the delegates at the annual convention here yesterday.

The 1925 convention will be

Lake Louise, July 24—Theodore E. Hughes, Secretary of State of the United States, and Mrs. Hughes, yesterday had luncheon with King George and Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace. The royal couple attended the Guild Hall dinner.

Today the American secretary of state, with 2,000 United States and Canadian lawyers, attended a garden party at Buckingham Palace. The vice-president went on to say.

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ITALIAN PLANE IS TO JOIN
U.S. FLIGHT TO GREENLAND

Rome, July 24.—Lieut. Locatelli, whose North Pole trip by aeroplane has been postponed until next year, is about to start from Marina di Pisa by air for Paris and London and will follow the same route as the United States aviators, as a preparation for his polar flight.

According to The Giornale d'Italia, Locatelli will join the United States aviators in England and will accompany them when they start for Greenland. His machine carries enough fuel for 2,000 kilometres.

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THREE-YEAR-OLD
BOY LOST IN WILDS
FOR OVER TWO DAYS

Tawatinaw, Alberta, July 24—After a three-day search, a boy, aged three, was found near the banks of a stream, little the worse for his journey away from home.

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COTTON PRICES IN
U.S. RISE RAPIDLY

Increase on New York Market

More Than \$10 a Bale in Two Days

New York, July 24—Efforts to surmount the impasse in the Inter-allied Conference regarding the sufficiency of guarantees for the proposed £40,000,000 loan to Germany to-day occupied the attention of the delegates with the belief uppermost that a solution would be found before many hours. While the French are maintaining the sanctity of the Versailles Treaty and the international bankers are equally firm in their demands for definite guarantees to entice investors in the United States and elsewhere who will be asked to support a German loan necessary to launch the Dawes plan, it is their opinion a way out of the entanglement will be found shortly.

Both sides in the conference are striving to reach a compromise.

THREE ARMED THUGS HELD UP BANK STAFF
IN TERMINAL CITY AT 9.30 THIS MORNING.
INJURED TWO, TOOK CASH AND MADE ESCAPE

Three Bandits Surprised Manager and Clerks of Robson and Granville Street Branch of Canadian Bank of Commerce Before Opening Time To-day; Struck Manager and Ledger Keeper on Heads with Revolvers; Took Loot and Escaped in Automobile Which They Had Waiting at Curb.

Vancouver, July 24.—Three bandits held up the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch at Granville & Robson Streets here at 9.30 o'clock this morning, forced the manager, G. A. Bonnallie, to open the inner compartment of the steel vault and escaped with approximately \$19,000.

Mr. Bonnallie attempted to turn and grapple with one of the desperados and was struck over the head with the butt end of a revolver, which cut open his scalp. Bleeding and dazed, he was compelled to open the vault and one of the bandits scooped several bundles of bills from the cash drawer.

The other two robbers kept the other members of the staff covered with their revolvers and compelled them to lie prostrate

on the floor. H. Bus, ledger keeper, attempted to scrutinize the faces of the men, but was threatened with death if he did not leave. The men then struck him with the muzzle of a gun.

The leader of the gang, who directed the others in a cool and deliberate manner, was armed with an automatic. There were two boxes of cash in the vault, one a large one in which were many thousands of dollars, and another containing a lesser amount. These boxes were locked. The bandit was forced to discard the larger box, but the smaller one containing several bundles of bills was taken.

The teller states he would recognize one of the robbers if captured, as the man had transacted some business with the bank yesterday.

Running from the bank, the bandits jumped into a waiting automobile, which was standing at the curb with the engine running, and sped away south on Granville Street, being lost in the traffic.

One of the men is described as being five feet ten inches in height and wearing a dark suit and green cap. The second was two inches shorter, with a sandy complexion and a plaster across his nose. The third was a short stout man of swarthy complexion, evidently a foreigner.

The first intimation the bank clerks had of a holdup was when the armed men advanced towards the counter, shouting "Put them up."

The bandits then forced the staff to get down on the floor, telling them to "keep your faces to the mat."

TRIED TO SEE MAN

H. Bus, ledgerkeeper, entered the office a moment after the bandits but did not know they were there until he was suddenly grabbed and commanded "Put your hands up. Come over here and get down there with the others." He obeyed and when he attempted to look up

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WHEAT CROP REPORTS AND ESTIMATES

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Calgary, July 24.—"I wish it were only politics," stated John I. McFarland, president of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company, when informed of a New York dispatch which stated that grain men there were crediting the damage stories to politics in the United States and to boost the price of wheat at Chicago.

"I only wish we had the crop and the politicians were trying to kill it," continued Mr. McFarland.

The trouble is we have not got the

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the Matter of Lot 1109, Victoria City, EXCEPT THE North 8 Feet Boundary. Proof having been filed in my office of the town of Cranbrook, B.C., on June 13, 1924, to the above mentioned land, in the name of Mary Elizabeth Langley, and bearing date the 25th day of April, 1892, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE OF THE FILING AND EXPIRATION of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue a fresh Certificate of Title in her name.

A person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the Land Registry Office.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 30th day of June, 1924.

FRANK J. STACPOOLE,
Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

Champlain Land District, Sec. 4,
Range 10

Take notice that the Empire Lumber Company, a provincial company duly registered under the laws of the Province of British Columbia, with head office within the Province, Victoria, B.C., a Lumber Company, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land: Commencing at a point on the north boundary mark of Osborne Bay, at the intersection of the south boundary of Lot 104, Champlain District; thence along the south boundary line of said Lot 104, one hundred and sixteen (116) feet; thence south twenty-two degrees and twenty-six minutes east (52°26' E.), one hundred and forty-four (144) feet more or less to the northeast corner of Lot 107, Champlain District, thence west one hundred and ninety (99) feet more or less to the northwest corner of said Lot 107; thence meandering along the northern boundary line of said Lots 104 and 107 one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet more or less to point of commencement and containing two acres, eighty-eight hundredths (2.888) acre or less.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 25th day of June, 1924.

EMPIRE LUMBER COMPANY,
Clarence C. Yount, Agent.

SPENCERS' TENNIS TEAMS IN SERIES

Vancouver Representatives
Beat Local Branch Nine
Games to Three

The local tennis section of the David Spencer Athletic Club was visited yesterday by a team of eight players from the Vancouver organization and a most enjoyable day of sport resulted.

Arriving on the morning boat, the visitors were met by a team of five sent by a delegation from the local club and conducted to Spencer's tea room, where breakfast awaited them. The remainder of the morning was devoted to a drive around the city and neighboring municipalities, the visitors expressing their delight in the many beautiful scenes. Luncheon was served at the store after which the players proceeded to the courts at Craigdarroch, where the afternoon and evening was spent in a series of spiritedly contested matches, the visiting team gaining a decided victory over the local club. J. W. Spencer was an interested spectator during the greater part of the afternoon. After a delicious tea, served by a number of the ladies of the club, Mr. Spencer presented the cups and prizes to the winners in the second annual scratch tournament recently concluded by the local club.

The successful contestants were as follows:

Men's Singles Challenge Cup—Won by H. Barnes, second year.

Men's Doubles Challenge Cup—Won by H. Barnes and J. W. Barnes.

Ladies' Singles Challenge Cup—Won by Miss B. Campbell.

Ladies' Doubles Challenge Cup—Won by Miss B. Campbell and Miss H. Smith.

Mixed Doubles Challenge Cup—Won by Miss D. Heard and H. Barnes.

Local Association Singles Prize—Won by Miss C. Graham.

Men's Consolation Singles Prize—Won by G. Harris.

Miss G. Mercer was the recipient of a miniature cup emblematic of her victory in the Ladies' Championship Singles in 1922.

SAW STARS IN EUROPE.

At the conclusion of this little ceremony Mr. Spencer gave an interesting speech in which he told his hearers of some of the world's ranking exponents of the game of lawn tennis whom he had seen in action during his recent stay in Europe.

Play was resumed and continued until dusk, the Vancouver team proving to the winners by nine matches to three. The results of the matches follow:

Ladies' Doubles—Misses N. and A. Littlewood, Vancouver, defeated Miss Mercer and Miss Barnes, Victoria, 6-4, 6-2.

Men's Doubles—Bancroft and Harrison, Vancouver, defeated List, Victoria, 6-2, 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles—Misses Sparks and Miss Wray, Vancouver, defeated Miss B. Campbell and Miss Smith, Victoria, 6-4, 6-0.

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**RADIO INVENTORS
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1,300 Applications to Patent Office of United States Expected in 1924

Washington, July 24.—The rapid strides made by radio are exemplified in the United States Patent Office, the records of which show approximately 3,000 patents issued for radio apparatus, both sending and receiving.

During 1920 there were 624 applications for patents considered to be essentially of radio character; in 1921 there were 728; in 1922 the number was 1,092, and last year 935. For the year the estimate has been placed at 1,300.

While the bulk of the applications for patents come from the younger class of workers, experimenters, young graduate engineers, and technical students, the inventors indicating that those inventing and making the greatest theoretical advance are the mature and more experienced research workers, including many university professors.

STAFF INCREASED

Six assistant patent examiners are devoting most of their time to radio in the Patent Office and at least half of the time of the principal examiner and his chief. The examining force in the radio division has been augmented somewhat during the last few years so that at present it is the largest of all the examining divisions.

While it has not been possible in the past to reduce materially the number of examinations, hand awaiting action, this delay, it is said, on the average, has been greatly shortened until now cases are reached for action within seven months from filing or amending compared with the previous delay of a year.

NEW HYDRO PLANT

Olympia Wash., July 24.—Application for water rights for a hydroelectric power development plant near Index was received by Marvin Chase, State Supervisor of Hydraulics, here to-day from the Sultan Electric Company of Snohomish. The plant is to cost \$500,000 and develop 1,000 horsepower.

Lake of Lava at Kilaeua Growing

Hilo, T.H., July 24 (Associated Press)—The lava-dome at Kilaeua Volcano, which started last Saturday, continues with increased volume. The lake of liquid fire appears to be spreading.

To-day an avalanche crashed down in the pit with a roar, resulting in tremendous dust clouds shooting several thousand feet high.

Thomas A. Jagger Jr., director of the volcano observatory station, described the results of the lava as "an interesting sign" as he had feared the activities of last May, in which the whole shape of the volcano pit was changed, might have left the lava vents clogged. Such clogging, he said, eventually would have resulted in further upheavals.

FEWER MINISTERS COME FORWARD THAN NEEDED BY CHURCH

Chicago, July 24.—Theological seminaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States have graduated 217, according to a report issued by the Board of Education of the church.

The Boston University School of Theology, Boston, Massachusetts, graduated 100; General Seminary, Madison, New Jersey, forty-five; Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Illinois, fifty-one; Hill School of Theology, University Park, Colorado, fifteen; Swedish Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, two, and Central Wesleyan Theological Seminary, Warrenton, Missouri, six.

The average yearly need of candidates for the Methodist Episcopal church ministry is 803, the report added.

CLEVELAND POLICE WILL USE RADIO

Olympia Wash., July 24.—Radio-casting for the prevention of crime and detection of criminals is soon to be employed by the police, Chief of Police Gruel has announced.

Small sets with headphones are to be installed on every squad car, mounted on the lower grades, was finding a ready market and there was a steady growing demand for Canadian farm and dairy products. Canadian

WIRELESS PLANS ARE DEBATED IN BRITAIN

Details of Scheme For Empire Communication Ex- planned by Minister

London, July 24.—Vernon Hartshorn, Postmaster-General, announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government had decided to adopt the recommendations of the Imperial Wireless Telegraph Committee which was appointed some months ago to inquire into the subject of Imperial wireless control. Robert Hartshorn was chairman of the committee, which sent its report to the Government last February.

The committee recommended chiefly that the state, through the post-office department, should own all wireless stations in Great Britain for communication with the Dominions, colonies and territories; that the post-office should operate all the empire stations in Great Britain; that as an alternative an exception be made in the case of Canada, and that competition between the post-office and private enterprises in the Anglo-Canadian wireless service be restricted at present by the government, provided that in any license granted for the Anglo-Canadian service public interests are safeguarded as regards conditions of working and terms of expropriation by the state; that private enterprise be given facilities to compete in the field of communication with Europe as with the rest of the world outside the empire.

Payment would be made by the Government only if the service fulfilled guarantees, namely, communication at the rate of 105 letters words a minute, for eight hours daily between Britain and Canada, eleven hours between Britain and South Africa, twelve hours between Britain and India, and seven hours between Britain and Australia.

"BEAM" SYSTEM

Long distance communication by the "beam" system, it was explained, was possible only during hours of darkness and one or two hours before twilight in the evening and after twilight in the morning. Thus such stations were suitable only for deferred traffic.

High-power stations would still be necessary for long-distance communication at all hours, and the Government regarded them necessary for strategical and other reasons.

Government of India and New Zealand had stated that the new type of station was unsuited to their requirements.

Australia and South Africa had not yet reached a final decision, but it was understood they were in agreement with the Canadian Government that account now fall to make an effort to secure the large share of Oriental trade that would naturally come to them the opportunity will pass away, and when conditions over there have got back to normal they will find somebody else has got the will find somebody else has got the

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR INCREASED TRADE

C.P.R. Manager in Orient Makes Statements of Interest to Canadians

Montreal, July 24.—Never has the opportunity for Canadian business in the Orient been so good as it is today. It is true the general volume of business moving in China and Japan is somewhat below normal as a result of local and world conditions, but it also true that Canadian business interests and producers in the Orient are well established and that transportation facilities on the Pacific were quite equal in comfort to those on the Atlantic and that the main ports had good and comfortable hotels where one could remain and make side trips to the interior.

Mr. Cameron also told of a steady increase in tourists coming to the Orient during the winter months. He said this would continue to develop as people on this continent realized that transportation facilities on the Pacific were quite equal in comfort to those on the Atlantic and that the main ports had good and comfortable hotels where one could remain and make side trips to the interior.

ESKIMO SENTENCED TO SERVE FIVE YEARS

Manslaughter Trial Was Held at Mouth of Mackenzie River

Fort McMurray, Alta., July 24.—At the trial of the Eskimo Akalipak, held at Aklaiak by Judge Dubuc, the native was found guilty of manslaughter and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, according to word which reached here yesterday by the steamer Athabasca River.

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SEIZURES AT FRONTIERS

Further, the recommendations are that the provisions of the Union for the Protection of Industrial Property should be especially applied in the case of seizures at frontiers of important products which carry an illegal trade mark or commercial name.

The experts also suggest the final convention should prohibit the registration or unauthorized use of national emblems or arms of official hall-marks or signs indicating official warrants, and also of any colorable imitation, as trade marks or as parts of trade marks. This regulation should apply only in the case of goods similar to the goods for which the hallmark or sign in question would imply a guarantee.

Finally, the experts believe the signatory states should forbid the registration or unauthorized use of any trade mark which is notorious in trade as a mark owned by a national of another state. Aggrieved persons should be allowed five years in which to apply for the cancellation of improperly registered trade marks. Trade mark registrations should be forbidden when they clearly constitute an act of unfair competition.

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FIFTEEN CENTS A YARD

According to estimates based on the investigation, there is a total of something like 7,000,000 yards of gravel distributed among different districts. Not all of this is practicable for working, but the bureau considers it safe to assume sixty per cent, is feasible for mining. It should yield an average of about

Two Suicides and Six Violent Deaths In Eastern Canada

Ottawa, July 24.—Three suicides and a number of violent deaths were reported from points in Eastern Canada yesterday.

Mrs. Ross McNary hanged herself from a beam in the barn on her farm near Fred Vossburg, seventeen, committed suicide by hanging from a cord attached to a hay fork in the barn of his employer near Montreal.

August Ray, thirty-two, married, fell to his death from a second-story balcony at Quebec.

Maurice Broussard, sixteen, was fatally shot when he accidentally stepped on his rifle as he was climbing out of his boat at Flamborough, Que.

Robert Gray, Toronto, was instantly killed and Thomas Ashdown seriously injured at McNaught, Ont., when a derrick boom sideswiped it passed on a construction engine. Ella Pickering, six, was drowned at Campbellford, Ont.

Raymond Howell, twenty-one, was drowned at Peterboro.

Oliver Columbus was drowned when his canoe upset near Jocques.

meats, too, were selling well in Japan. This trade had been fostered by the regular services of the Canadian Pacific steamships from British Columbia ports. There was also an excellent demand for Canadian apples and if this was properly taken care of it would in all likelihood prove to be an important development of the future.

POLITICAL CONDITIONS

In regard to political conditions in China, Mr. Cameron said it was only in certain sections said that piracy and banditry were affecting the development of business. Political conditions in some parts of the interior were such that it was difficult getting cargoes of goods to the seaboard or back into the interior.

However, trade was improving by reason of the fact that merchants and shipping interests were finding means to circumvent the actions of bandits in the occupied territories.

In the more important ports of China, such as Shanghai and Hongkong, there were large classes of wealthy natives whose homes and establishments fell no way short of the best to be found in Canada and it was in these that the taste for western food, such as Canada could supply, was making steady headway.

To a certain extent the same might be said of Japan although the demand for some form of western food was in that country more general.

TOURIST TRAVEL

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TRADE MARK CONTROL MEASURES URGED

International Experts Make Recommendations to League of Nations Committee

Geneva, July 24.—International experts assigned to study draft articles for a convention on unfair competition in business have forwarded a set of principles to the economic committee of the League of Nations.

These recommend among other things that states which are members of the Union for the Protection of Industrial Property should be required to give to the international legal redress, including penal remedies to nationals of other contracting countries in case of fraudulent use of trade marks.

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fifteen cents a yard, says the report, and under hydraulic mining approximately \$600,000,000 could be recovered from these drainage systems alone.

The report says: "A perfectly feasible plan for the working of this ground, under the provisions of the Carmignetti Act, is now suggested and is to some extent being carried out by private corporations. Should the work be amplified to cover the whole drainage system, it should properly be under the control of the national and state governments in conjunction."

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Placer Possibilities of State Estimated by Bureau of Mines

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HIgh protectionist influences in the East are flooding the country with propaganda designed to convey the impression that the tariff changes recently enacted have already killed the building trade in the Dominion. In fact the President of the Montreal Builders' Exchange says that industrial and mercantile building is dead in that city—"killed by the tariff policy." He puts the value of undertakings which have had to be abandoned at \$8,420,000 and solemnly declares that the building trade faces the poorest outlook it has known in the last ten years.

Let us examine the figures for Montreal. In June of last year building permits to the value of \$2,230,820 were issued by the Municipal Council. For May of the present year, the value is officially given as \$2,800,000 and the June total reached \$2,195,340—slightly under the figure for the corresponding month of 1923. And by taking the Province of Quebec in its entirety we find that the value of building permits issued for the month of June this year amounted to \$4,462,709 as compared with the total for June of 1923 of \$3,933,985—an actual increase of \$528,724.

There is therefore nothing in these comparative totals to suggest that Montreal was about to experience a building record for the present or any succeeding month that would have taken the monthly value up to a figure three times as high as it was, for instance, in June last year. We shall thus prescribe a large grain of salt for the figures and general intent of the statement attributed to the President of the Builders' Exchange.

It is significant, moreover, that the influences which are responsible for the spread of this sort of propaganda are quite silent upon the subject of the building trade in the United States. We are not reminded from the East that in the happy hunting ground of the high protectionist to the South of the border the building trade is actually in the throes of the very crisis which was predicted twelve months ago when this section of the American Federation of Labor met in Portland. No mention is made of the fact that the reason why there are more than five thousand Canadians a month returning from the United States to this country can be traced to the very serious depression which a slump in the building trade has passed on to allied industries.

These high protectionist methods, of course, are neither novel nor new. They are first cousin to the alarms which opponents of the Canadian National Railways and other publicly managed and controlled undertakings send out from time to time. They are based upon similarly unsupportable arguments and ignore facts with the same effrontery. But the people are able to do a bit of thinking and reading on their own account. Consequently the harm they do is comparatively trivial.

PREMIER KING TO LONDON?

IT is now suggested from Ottawa that Premier King and the Hon. Ernest Lapointe will go to London to represent Canada at the All-Empire Conference which Mr. J. H. Thomas intends to call some time during the coming Fall. In such an event there seems to be an impression at the national capital that the Prime Minister will make his trip to the West some time in September in order to leave him free to proceed overseas in October or November.

If the Conference actually takes place, and the Colonial Secretary was emphatic on the point when he foreshadowed it at the Dominion Day banquet in London, it is obvious that none other than Premier King should head the Canadian delegation. Events have transpired since the Imperial Conference which make it more than ever desirable that he should now take advantage of a situation which had not fully developed last Fall.

There is obviously a desire on the part of the Colonial Secretary, whose views in respect of the future of the British Empire are very largely shared by the Labor Government as well as by a large section of the press of Britain, to have a heart-to-heart talk with the responsible representatives of public opinion in the Dominions. It is realized in the Old Country as much as it is appreciated in the various parts of the Empire that incidents such as that which developed over the Lausanne Treaty should be avoided at all cost, not only for the sake of preserving that family harmony which already has successfully withstood many tests, but in order that anti-Empire influences shall be beaten out of certain inflammable material which suits their scheming.

Mr. King's presence at such a gathering, in the light of recent events, would furnish him with an opportunity to contribute his opinions and enable him still better to understand the difficulties which confront the authorities at Downing Street from time to time. Out of such a frank interchange of view it follows that the arrival at an equality of status within the Empire, which the Dominion's position at Versailles and Washington confirmed, would no longer remain a doubt to disturb the good feelings which exist among the members of the British family.

BANKERS VS. POLITICIANS

IT will take a little time for France to shake off her views as to the best manner of bringing Germany into a paying mood. She still maintains that the bankers at the inter-Allied Conference are interlopers at a debate which ought to conform to political practice.

There is some ground for this attitude as far as France is concerned. It is late in the day to be adopting it. But the French delegates are so placed that they are obliged to keep one eye on the main point at issue and the other on the political situation in France. Premier Herriot naturally wants to go back to his native land with a settlement in London that will not bring about his political defeat.

It will have to be borne in mind, however, that if the Dawes plan is to be put in operation—a plan which obviously France's best bet to date—£40,000,000 is going to be required to start it. The bankers will have to find the money. They want adequate security. That is how banks do business—with nations as well as individuals.

France will have to accept this principle or put up with the failure of the Conference. Can she afford to face that prospect?

A NOVEL ARGUMENT

MMR. HENRY FORD is a highly successful motor car manufacturer. He is reputed to be the richest man in the world. But his attempt to "get the boys out of the trenches by Christmas" proved rather conclusively that he was a little out of his depth a year or so ago.

The auto wizard is now reported to be off on another track. It is not in the realm of industry, but a new idea for the establishment of universal peace. He would now have the United States prevent war by arming herself in greater strength than the world has ever known.

Mr. Ford may find a little amusement in giving expression to his views on the best way to insure international concord. But he is altogether too shrewd a businessman to argue seriously that his plan would be considered for two seconds by his compatriots.

THE PRESS AND CRIME

PUBLIC opinion in the United States will agree with The Chicago Tribune in its view that the Franks case has been "a three months' moral pestilence imposed upon our people before the trial." Readers of newspapers and the general public will also appreciate the position of a press which must accept popular appetite or cease to exist.

The Tribune lauds the British system which is considerably more speedy and lacks much of the lurid pre-trial publicity which long drawn out preliminaries and trial by newspaper, as it were, inflict upon the public. The Chicago daily, of course, is speaking casually when it declares that the British, for instance, print only the briefest and coolest statement of the facts before the trial. As a matter of fact the recent "Blue Anchor" murder and the "Crumbles Crime" were served up to the reading public of Britain in the fullest and most sensational form from the moment they were discovered until trial and sentence in both cases.

There is a difference, however, in the attitude of the Courts to pre-trial publicity in the Old Country. This is to be found in the careful watch which law officers maintain on the nature of the reports. For instance, such an influential newspaper as The Manchester Guardian was fined £300 and The London Evening Standard £1,000 for publishing stories from their own special investigators. The material contained therein was adjudged as prejudicial to the ends of justice and the warning which followed may have the effect of discouraging this type of sensationalism in the future. The fact remains, of course, that the culprit in both these cases already has been sentenced to death—speedy justice!

Nearly 15,000 Canadians have returned to this country from the United States during the last three months. We need them.

There have been 177 murders in Chicago since January 1. This is not a pleasant fact for the people of that city to contemplate.

We agree that yesterday was a hot day and that to-day is much about the same. We remind our readers, however, that this is July. Also that we were howling for this a week ago. So, no kicks, please.

TAPE THAT TANGLES

From The London (Ont.) Free Press. The "red tape" of a passport for England, which the Canadian government imposes, is enough to tangle any good Canadian's temper.

SELFISH EDMONTON.

Vancouver or Edmonton or a score of cities like them cannot consume a fraction of the production of the western farms, yet they want to hold a monopoly of distributing to the farmers—the supplies the latter require.

RADIO COMPLICATES THINGS

From The Kansas City Times. It may not be too much to expect that party leaders in the future will take into account the radio audience when they map out a programme for big conventions. At least, when the delegates to the New York convention get home and hear from those who listened in on their convention, they will hear some things that may not have occurred to them in Madison Square Garden.

NAMELESS PAIN

In my nostrils the Summer wind blows the exquisite scent of the rose; Oh, for the golden, golden wind. Breaking the buds as it goes, And filling the air with the grass, And spelling the scent of the rose. O wind of the Summer moon, You're a nameless devil in your ways, Wafting the fragrant soil Of the rose through valley and plain, I would you could tear my heart to-day And scatter its nameless pain! —Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

Dr. Frank Crane on "Who Pays"

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WHO pays wages?

Where does the money come from that is put into the wage earner's envelope on Saturday?

Who really pays the workman?

It is the Customer, not the Boss.

It would simplify thinking on the disturbed labor problem if we remembered that.

The secretary or clerk at the pay window may hand us our money, but we are not simple enough to suppose that it is his money; he is just the company's agent; just a machine.

But it is equally true that it is not the boss's money, nor the company's.

It all comes from the buyer. And if he stops buying it will not be very long till the boss stops paying, for he will have nothing to pay with.

The president, vice-president and treasurer, who sit at mahogany desks in an office building are just as much hired men as the man in overalls working at the lathe or having

lunch in the messroom; the paymaster.

What complicates matters and lets in envy and discontent is that the decision as to what portion of what the public pays in for its clocks, wheelbarrows or bedsteads goes to one man and what to another rests with the gentlemen at the mahogany desks and not with the gentlemen in overalls.

But the truth of that statement is more apparent than real, as we can readily see if we stop to think a bit.

The sentiment seems to be abroad that if we could only get Bolshevism, Socialism, or some other ism, the worker who can dig a fair ditch and lay brick to plumb would receive as much wage as his fellow worker who can organize an industry, keep a thousand men in work, save waste and secure efficiency.

So long as the business of the world consists in service for service this cannot be. And that is the world we live in and to this scheme of things is all our thinking composed.

All things, including the labors of men, will be worth what they are worth, and no theory nor revolution can make a peanut worth a beefsteak nor one who can but sweep a floor earn as much as one who can rule a

country.

Among recommendations likely to go forward from the Island are those of the Oak Bay Council which will seek discussion on the desirability of autonomous control of educative and police municipal matters by the council in centres of less than 10,000 population. The school board and extra charges for tuition will possibly be mooted by the same council.

Reeve Lockley himself will lay several matters before the convention from the Esquimalt Council. Hospital indigents and other matters will be touched on in the Esquimalt recommendations, it is thought.

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Sidelights on a Great Industry

ANTOINE DE LAMOTHE-CADILLAC,

Siegneur de Bouquet and of Mont-Désert, was one of the brilliant group of young officers who formed the circle about the great Governor of New France, Count Frontenac. Caustic in his wit, ready always with his biting sarcasm, free and fearless and unrestrained in his speech, he lacked something of the balance of the indomitable La Salle, lacked the sparkle of his young fellow-officer and courtier at Quebec, the Baron de La Hontan, but possessed a splendid dash, a vivacity, and underneath this a fine capacity for leadership in the military enterprises of the wilderness. He possessed, too, sagacity and foresight, developed under the influence of Frontenac.

Between 1653 he arrived in Canada, a captain in the forces, after considerable service in the army in Europe. Like so many of his kind, spirited young gentlemen of France, he immediately showed a marked aptitude for wilderness life and for the management of the Indians. Frontenac was absent in France at that time, and young Cadillac (he was twenty-seven) first saw service in the eastern passes between the St. Lawrence and the English colonies on the Atlantic coast. Always inclined to seize the bull by the horns, he sought the boldest and most difficult course. He urged the Governor, and the administration at home, to attack the two vital English colonial ports, Boston and New York, from the sea. Frontenac needed small urging at the moment when he was setting out for his second term of office in Canada, and persuaded the court. The expedition was actually prepared, but came to naught from the impracticality of the plan adopted and the poverty of naval force supplied.

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M.P.'S WILL DEBATE RELEASE OF MARITZ

Freeing of Ex-Boer General in South Africa Causes Protests

Hertzog Government Will be Forced to Defend Its Action

Cape Town, July 24 (Canadian Press Cable).—A storm of protest has swept through the Union of South Africa because of the release by the Hertzog Government of G. Maritz, the former Boer general who was convicted of high treason for having taken part in the rebellion of 1914 and was sentenced to prison for three years.

Maritz had served only twelve weeks of his term.

It is expected the matter will be threshed out at the first meeting of the new Parliament.

The Cape Times says: "Thousands of South Africans who are watching for signs of Premier Hertzog's fitness for the premiership see in the release of Maritz, a portent which makes them shudder with apprehension."

Water Sports at Gorge Drew Big Crowd Last Night



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Book Review

By Prof. W. T. Allison
LITERARY NOTES

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CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

To the Editor:—From the report of the Civil Service Commission of Canada for last year just issued, I glean the following facts which I am sure will be of no little interest to the readers of The Daily Times. During the year 1,513 civil service examinations were conducted in Ottawa and 1,513 candidates from Halifax to Prince Rupert, to test the qualification of candidates for positions in various departments of government in work. The cost for supervising these examinations was less than \$600. Appointments were made to 1,579 positions, home, citizens, overseas men, disability pension, invalid widows, the same being fair. The number of over-qualified returned men and war widows is more liberal than is generally supposed, and is administered with impartiality by the Civil Service Commission. No less than 1,048 retirements were made from the service. Some have a tendency to criticize the commission adversely and charge it with showing partiality and favoritism in making appointments. They no doubt would be more fair and put the brakes on their unjust criticism if they knew that the commission make no appointment except at the request of the department signed by the deputy.

By reorganization is not a few of the departments saving in expenditure was made of \$150. By the application of the Public Service Act 1,513 officers were retired and by virtue of reorganization 510 vacancies had not to be filled, which made a net saving of \$640,000—a very good sum saved by the efficiency of the man in the saddle.

By consolidation and reorganization the Civil Service Commission staff of employees had been reduced from 280 to 125, which greatly reduced the cost of the staff. The commission has been trying, while consistent with efficiency, to respond to the cry for economy from ocean to ocean. It certainly, in my estimation, has succeeded.

A permanent Superannuation Act, which had been for years the desire of the commissioners, is at last to be the law of the states. So said the Hon. the Prime Minister. The commissioners were unfavorable, but the commission believed in the perseverance of the saints stuck to it, and at last, like the old woman before the unjust judge, succeeded.

J. CAMPBELL.
"Breadalbane," Victoria, July 23, 1924.

"And do you really love me?" "Yes," said the young doctor. "The mere sight of you, Isabella, sets up violent cardiac disturbances, super-induces dryness of the palate, epiglottis and larynx, and brings on symptoms of vertigo."

Remember the Orphanage Tag Day, Saturday, July 26.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine double strength is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine double strength—from any druggist; and apply a little of it night and morning; and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

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Steiner Company for \$7,500.

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Outsize House Dresses

Regular \$3.95 for \$2.98

Outsize House Dresses of gingham and chambray, plain and striped effects; made in waistline style; sizes 47, 49 and 51. On sale, each

—Whitewear, First Floor

Women's Flannelette Gowns

\$1.98

Excellent Grade Outsize Flannelette Nightgowns, made with "V" neck and long sleeves. They have button front and are neatly trimmed with hemstitching and tucks. White only. Special, each

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Spun Silk Blouses—Big Value, \$6.95

Blouses of superior grade spun silk, made in plain tailored style, with convertible collar, long sleeves and button cuffs. They are neatly finished with fine tucks around collar, cuffs and down front. Size 24 to 44. Each

\$6.95

—Blouses, First Floor

Sanitary Hair Brushes

Detachable Cushion Back, Best Bristles

A special clearance sale of these on Friday and Saturday at an exceptional bargain price. Most of our customers know the excellent quality of this particular make. Usually sells at \$2.00. Our July Clearance Price

\$1.00

—Toilet Articles, Main Floor

Girls' Khaki Apparel For Camp or Country Wear

Including Our "College Brand."

Values to \$45.00 for

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Men's Suits of Superior Grade

"Vanity V" Corselette, \$3.50

The "Vanity V" Corselette is a combination, including corset and brassiere.

It is made of pink brocade with wide insets of elastic over hips and down back.

It clasps down the front with soft steel. The brassiere hooks under arm.

Lightly boned through the back and has four hose supporters. Sizes 32 to 38.

A practical corselette and big value at

—Corsets, First Floor

\$29.75

A glance at these suits will be enough to convince you they are values unusual for the price. College

Brand clothing is well enough known to have

your confidence and in this offering all our Col-

lege Brand suits are included.

The newest models are shown in blue and grey worsteds, pin stripes and other

popular shades. The tailoring is excellent, the trimmings of the best. See

them, profit by the special offer.



Hardware and China Department Values To-morrow

22-Piece China Tea Sets, with floral dec-
oration; 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates,
1 cake plate, 1 sugar, 1 cream. The set
for

\$5.75

Johnson's English Semi-Porcelain Dinner-
ware, "Sultana" pattern.

12-Piece Sets, Big value, each

\$25.00

52-Piece Sets, Big value, each

\$13.50

Hand-painted China Cups and Saucers
with a floral decoration. Regular, 50c
for

29¢

Simmons Steel Beds with continuous posts and centre cane effect panel; walnut finish; sizes 3 ft. 3 in. and 4 ft. 6 in. Big value, each

\$15.90

Furniture, Second Floor

China Egg Cups, with white and gold band.
Special, a dozen

50¢

Laquered Tea Trays, green and gold

79¢

15-Quart Aluminum Preserving
Kettles, Special, each

\$1.98

Wooden Wash Tubs, stands, holds two tubs
and wringer. Each

\$2.75

Wooden Pastry Boards with sides.
Each

95¢

Screen Windows, 14 inches high; will ex-
tend to 52 inches. Reg. 75¢ for

69¢

Lower Main Floor

Spencer's Own Beef Dripping, per lb.

11¢

Spencer's Standard Ayrshire Roll, per lb.
40

We Always Have the Best Obtainable
and All Perishables Are Kept
Cool and Sanitary

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Finest Fresh Desiccated Coconut,	17c
per lb.	
Heinz Spaghetti,	20c
reg. 25c tins for	
Morton's Blister Paste, tin.....	5c
Heinz Pork and Beans,	25c
reg. 15c tins, now 2 for.....	25c

Five Roses Fleur,	
40 lb. sack.....	\$1.98

Boss Hand Cleaner (like snap),	25c
2 large tins.....	
H. P. Sauce, bottle.....	27c
1 pkg. Sunlight Soap and 1 pkg. Lux for.....	14c

Pacific Milk, large tins,	32c
1 for 11c or 3 for.....	

Theroz Cubes (canned heat),	15c
reg. 35c tins for.....	
Starch Glaze, pkg.....	7c
Herrings in Tomato Sauce, the	5c
Robertson's Marmalade, 1-lb. jar.....	24c

B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs.	\$1.63.
Or 100 lbs. for.....	

Sugar Cured Side Bacon,	26c
piece or half, per lb.....	

Smoked Picnic Hams, lb.	18c
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Sweet Pickled Plonies, lb.	17c
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Potato Chips, pkg.	10c
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Peanut Butter, lb.	18c
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Pure Lard, lb. 16c, or 3 lbs.	47c
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Mild Cheese, lb.	24c
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Sweet Gherkin or Sweet Mustard Pickles, lb.	35c
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Del Monte Sliced Pineapple—	
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Reg. 25c tins, now 1 tin 19c; 2 tins 35c; or 6 tins for.....	\$1.00
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Everything kept under glass and thoroughly cool—No flies—No dirt.

Shoulders and Ribs, 25c	Legs and Loins, 40c
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PRIME BEEF SPECIAL	LOCAL VEAL SPECIAL
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Rump Roasts, per lb. 18c	Loin Roasts, per lb. 25c
Buttock Roasts, per lb. 20c	Rump Roasts, per lb. 25c
Nice Pot Roasts, lb. 10c and 18c	Shoulder Roasts, lb. 20c and 17c

LOCAL PEN FATTENED POULTRY SPECIAL	Milk-fed Broilers, from 2½ to 3 lbs. each, per lb. 38c
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Mild Cured Pickled Pork, very nice served with roast chicken. Per lb.	22c
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214 MOVIE HOUSES IN THE PHILIPPINES	MUSICAL NOTES
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By GEORGE J. DYKE	
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Over two thousand of Victoria's citizens gathered at Beacon Hill Park last Sunday afternoon, and enjoyed the first band concert of the summer season. The 16th Canadian Scottish prepared a most popular program, and in the absence of bandmaster James M. Miller, who is by the way, rapidly recovering from his recent motor accident, bandmaster Gaiger undertook the duties of conductor in a very efficient manner.	
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The piccolo solo, "Chimes of Normandy," and the selection, "Blossom Time," were received with unanimous applause, the first of which, received a well-deserved ovation. The scene altogether was an exceedingly pretty one, and emphasized the fact that bands and band music are as popular to-day with the people as over they were.	
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Up to the year 1861 when the Spanish National Conservatory was founded in Madrid, according to figures obtained from Dr. J. A. G. de la Torre, The Province of Occidental Negros, where many sugar centrales are located, had neither school nor teacher. The first teacher of bandmaster James M. Miller, who is by the way, rapidly recovering from his recent motor accident, was the piccolo solo, "Chimes of Normandy," and the selection, "Blossom Time," were received with unanimous applause, the first of which, received a well-deserved ovation. The scene altogether was an exceedingly pretty one, and emphasized the fact that bands and band music are as popular to-day with the people as over they were.	
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The Bureau of Commerce and Industry estimates that there are nearly 1,000 movie theatres in the islands, thirteen of them in Manila. The number of theatres in the provinces is not known, but it is estimated that there are about 1,000 more.	
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Of these, 214 are in the islands, 13 in Manila, 100 in the provinces, and 772 in the towns.	
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WITS AND BRAKES ARE AUTOISTS' ONLY RULES	
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Paris, July 24.—The Prefect of Police, Paris, is now issuing permits to drive motor cars at the rate of 4,000 a month.	
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The police department is considering a new regulation of traffic that will regulate all cars driven into Paris for mere pleasure to the less congested parts of the town. At present all regulations are disregarded.	
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SHOP IN COOL COMFORT

Even on the very warmest of days you may shop in cool comfort at Hudson's Bay. Our modern ventilating plant provides for a continual change of air every three minutes. First passing through a water screen, the air is thoroughly purified and cooled and then circulated throughout the store by powerful air pumps. Next time you come into the store notice how pleasantly cool it is.



July Clearance Sale

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Store Hours Friday
Open 8.30 a.m., Close 5.30 p.m.

For the Closing Days of the Sale--Special Clearance Bargains in Every Department

Coats' Sewing Cotton, 12 for \$89c

200-yard Spools Six-cord Sewing Cotton for machine or hand sewing, in black and white, all numbers; regular 9c. Sale Price, 12 spools \$89c
for Main Floor

A Ribbon Special

Taffeta Silk Ribbon, 4 inches wide, in navy, Copen, black, brown and light grounds. Suitable for hair bows, millinery purposes, etc. Sale Price, 29c per yard 29c
Main Floor

Stationery Bargains for Friday

Highland Linen Stationery
In boxes containing 24 sheets of note-paper and 24 envelopes, in pink, blue, mauve; grey and white; regular 75c. Sale Price 59c

Crown Playing Cards

Regular 45c a packet. Sale Price, 3 for \$1.00

Waxed Paper

Heavy quality, 45-sheets in roll; regular 10c. Sale Price, 3 rolls for 22c

Linen Finished Writing Tablets

Contains 50 sheets of paper, regular 15c. Sale Price 10c

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38-inch Novelty Ratines at 59c a Yard

Novelty Ratines in plaid and mixture effects, in beautiful color combinations, 38 inches wide. Sale Price, 59c per yard 59c
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Wool Motor Rugs at \$2.98 Each

Made from wool yarns in brown mixture effects, medium and dark colorings. They are ideal for motor use. Can also be used for camp blankets and other purposes, weight 6 pounds, size 5x8. Regular \$5.00. Sale Price \$2.98
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Low Prices on Pure Wool Blankets

Fine White Pure Wool Scotch Blankets, made in the famous Ayrshire looms from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarns. Size 6x8, weight 8 pounds. Sale Price, per pair \$7.98
Size 7x9, weight 8 pounds. Sale Price, per pair \$8.98
Main Floor

Tobacco Department Specials

Old Kentucky Cigarettes, Sale Price, 20 for 25c
Ruby Cigarette Tobacco, value 15c. Sale Price, 2 for 26c
Virginia Cigarettes, Sale Price, per packet 23c
Cigarette Holders, value 35c. Sale Price 27c
See our line of Dunhill Pipes. Main Floor

H.B. Purity Groceries and Provisions

Finest Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per pound 41c
3 pounds for \$1.20
Hudson's Bay Company's Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per pound 41c
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Pure Bulk Lard, per pound 17c
3 pounds for 50c
Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per pound 18c
Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per pound 15c
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, pound, 14c
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, pound, 14c
Mild Canadian Cheese, per pound, 24c
Hudson's Bay Company's Special Breakfast Tea, per pound 55c
3 pounds for \$1.60
Hudson's Bay Company's Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per pound 35c
3 pounds for \$1.00
Finest Quality E.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-pound paper sack \$1.62
Del Monte Brand Crushed Hawaiian Pineapple, No. 2 tin, Special at 27c
Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10-pound sack at 46c
Squirrel Brand Peanut Butter, No. 21 tin, Special at 52c

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Fancy Dessert Peaches, per dozen, 40c and 50c
Selected Local Cherries, per pound, 20c
Finest Wickson and Burbank Plums, per pound 20c
Choice Apricots, per basket 40c
Sweet Valencia Oranges, per dozen, 25c
30c, 40c and 50c
Extra Fancy Malaga Grapes, pound, 35c
Local Hot House Tomatoes, per pound, 25c and 30c
Head Lettuce, each 5c
Golden Wax and Green Beans, 2 pounds for 25c
New Carrots, Turnips and Beets, 3 bunches for 10c
Finest Quality New Potatoes, 12 pounds for 25c
Green Walnuts for Pickling, pound, 25c
Lower Main Floor

Women's Ready-to-Wear**At Remarkable Savings To-morrow**

Afternoon Dresses, Values to \$45.00 for \$24.95

In vella vella, velvet, Canton and flat crepe, crepe de Chine and georgette. Long, slender line models, some all pleated, others with draped skirts, tucks, panels and all the newest features. All new colorings included; sizes 16 to 40. Values to \$45.00. Sale Price \$24.95

**Dainty Voile Dresses, \$2.95**

Pretty little dresses in floral and checked muslin, simple styles with dainty collar and cuffs or lace ruchings, in blue, green, rose and mauve shades; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price \$2.95

Sports Skirts, \$3.75

In pleated styles on camisole top. Made from good quality wool crepe. Come in grey, sand, fawn, navy and black; sizes 16 to 44. Sale Price \$3.75

Mannish Tailored Suits, Values to \$45.00 for \$19.95

These suits are smartly tailored in the popular mannish style. Medium length coats, both single and double-breasted, some bound with braid. Smart wrap-around skirts, in mixed English suitings, in grey, navy and brown shades. Coats lined with silk. Sale Price \$19.95

Women's Summer Dresses**Greatly Underpriced For Friday****Italian Cotton Ribbed Vests**

Sleeveless style, sizes 36 to 42. Sale Price 49c

French Cotton Lisle Combinations

Tailored top, sleeveless style, tight and wide lace. Sizes 36 and 38; also extra outsizes. Sale Price \$1.39

Combed Cotton Bloomers

Well-made garments with gusset. In flesh, cream and white. Sizes 36 to 44. Sale Price, 2 pairs for \$1.49

Marquisettes and Bordered Curtain Scrim, 15c Yard

Bordered Scrim, plain and cross-bar Marquisettes of excellent wearing quality. 36 yards wide. 300 yards only. Morning Special 15c

Italian Silk Vests

In broken sizes. In pink, white and black. Regular \$2.75. Sale Price \$2.25

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemises

Sample garments, some trimmed with lace; others embroidered. Regular \$4.98. Sale Price \$3.65

French Lisle Bloomers

With elastic at waist and knee, reinforced, in white, shell and grey; sizes 36 to 44; regular \$1.25. Sale Price 98c

Italian Silk Pictures and Oil Paintings at Half-price

Including landscape prints and water colors; a good selection of frames; values \$2.50 to \$20.00

Morning Special, \$1.25 to \$10.00

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Hearth Rugs to Clear at \$3.95 Each

Including Axminster, mohair, wool and wash rugs in neat designs; values to \$6.25. Morning Special \$3.95

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—BASEBALL, BOXING TIMES SPORTING NEWS BASKETBALL, GOLF—

Victoria Doubles Beaten In Finals By Vancouver Pair

Marshall and Gordon Force
Peers Brothers But Lose
Trip to Forest Hills.

Turenne Victor in Singles;
Play in Mainland Tournamen Progresses Well

Vancouver, July 24.—For the first time in many years, British Columbian clubs have a champion in the Pacific Northwest Tennis Association. The Vancouver, Victoria and Laurel clubs have been members of the association for many years, and though last year J. A. McGill and J. H. Peers almost won the title, which is the second in the series, it remained to the Peers Brothers to win the championship on the Vancouver Club courts on Wednesday, earning the right to travel to Forest Hills at the expense of the U. S. Association peers brothers accounted for Gordon and McCallum of Victoria in straight sets. The final set was broken by Turenne, of Seattle, who beat J. A. McGuire 6-3, 6-1, 6-0.

Of the four title events only one, the doubles remains on this side of the line, the others going to Spokane and Seattle.

The record gallery was treated to the most remarkable display of tennis of the week.

COMING TO VICTORIA

Officials of the club have been fortunate with weather conditions to lay more than the Mainland championships down to the fours which will be played on Friday afternoon. With the exception of Casey and Suhr, who are in every event possible, the remaining honors in the journey are well distributed. Following this tourney, the California peers and some from Seattle and Spokane in the British Columbia championships next week in Victoria. Turenne had no real difficulty in disposing of McCallum in the final, the scores being 6-3, 6-1, 6-0. Turenne was more accurate in his smashing crosscourt drives than at any time in the series.

The Peers brothers were given a hard struggle from start to finish by Victoria's best McCallum and Gordon winning after three sets of hard hitting 6-2, 6-3 and 6-4. The match was featured by a brilliant display of hard hitting in which the Peers had the margin of accuracy. Both brothers showed rare judgment in outguessing their opponents, scoring twice on placement shots down the centre court times without number. Eight games in the match were won from deuce.

Next in interest was the ladies' doubles. Miss Sulie and Miss Thorne, San Jose, easily defeated Mrs. Bruno and Mrs. Henry also from California by 6-3 and 6-3, after dropping the first set without winning a game.

Jukes and Baker, the Jericho Golf Club champions, won a notable achievement when, after disposing of McDougall and McLean of Laurel in two sets, proceeded to the final in a hard hitting 6-2, 6-4 and 6-4. They meet the Peers Brothers to-day for the right to enter the semi-finals.

In the top half Casey and Suhr meet Turenne and Markey.

Miss Thorne, Mrs. Henry and Miss Suhr won their singles matches quite easily. The Peers had a hard time in downing Miss Ellis of North Vancouver. Miss Muriel Monroe outplayed Mrs. W. G. Mackenzie all stages of the match, winning 6-3, 6-1. Miss Klopfer was in the game all the time with Miss Marjorie Leeming, who won 6-2 and 6-4.

Yesterday's results in the Mainland singles were as follows:

Men's singles—Chandler beat Turenne, 6-2, 6-1; Cardinal beat Hibberly, 6-2, 9-7; Langlie beat Stevens, 6-2, 6-4; Sube beat Brown, 6-3, 6-3; Peers beat Gordon, 6-2, 6-3; Chandler beat McMast, 6-1, 6-4; Spirling beat Shields, 2-6, 6-1, 6-3; Miss Suhr beat Miss McDonald, 6-4, 6-3; Miss Munroe beat Mrs. McKenzie, 6-3, 6-5.

(Concluded on page 13.)

SENIOR GOLFERS

Toronto, July 24.—The seventh annual tournament of the Canadian Senior Golf Association will be held at the Victoria Golf Club on September 5. It has been decided to add a class "D" (seventy years and over) to the prize list, and H. H. Williams, Toronto, has donated a silver cup for this class. The association has also decided that in future the handicap limit will not be more than twenty-four.

BARRED FOREVER

Paris, July 24.—Pulitti, the Italian fencer, who was considered a strong contender for the Olympic sabre title, has been barred forever from Olympic competition by the executive of the International Olympic committee because of his attempt to provoke the Hungarian fencing judge, Kovacs, to a duel. It was Kovacs' protest that brought about the disqualification of Pulitti.

EQUESTRIAN COMPETITION

Paris, July 24.—Twenty-two riders reached the village of Coublay from Aubielle to-day in the Olympic equestrian competition. They included Major Sloan Doak of the United States and representatives of eleven other countries, all European.

The distance covered in the contest was twenty-two and one-half miles.

Ankle Bothersome



Fine Innings By Young Batsman Is Feature of Games

W. B. Knight, Fifteen-Year Old Boy, Put on 117 Runs For Albions Yesterday

Incogs Suffer First Defeat in Cricket Tournament; Other Match is Drawn

Tournament Standing

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Incogs	3	2	1	0	6
Albions	3	2	1	0	6
Five C's	3	1	1	1	4
Cowichan	3	0	2	1	1

JOHNNY PROCTOR

The elongated Victoria youth was prevented from making a better showing in the Pacific Northwest singles championship through an injury to his ankle. He was beaten in the semi-finals by Leon de Turonne of Seattle, whom he easily defeated here a few weeks ago. Had Proctor had two good ankles he might have again disposed of his old rival. Proctor, although still in his teens, is the senior men's tennis player in Victoria.

The scores yesterday were as follows:

Albions 266, Incogs 124.

Five C's 288, for three wickets, Cowichan 270 for six wickets.

The batsmen continued to hold the wicket high, and the bowlers suffered accordingly. One century was made while another batsman came within seven of that mark, and five others went beyond the half-century.

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AT THE THEATRES

The Circus Cowboy
Teems With Romance
of the Sawdust Ring

The Columbia Theatre has booked Charles Jones, the William Fox star, for three days this week. Jones' latest production is "The Circus Cowboy" and it is said to be entirely different from anything he has done. Dealing with the West and the sawdust ring, as the title would indicate, the picture embraces the romance and color of the two.

Marguerite Nixon is seen again as leading lady for Jones. This winsome star has created a reputation for herself in Jones' pictures and she is said to equal, if not to exceed, any of her previous efforts in "The Circus Cowboy." Others in the cast are Jack McDonald, Ray Hallor, Marguerite Clayton and George Romain.

Remember the Orphanage Tag Day, Saturday, July 26.

AT THE THEATRES
Columbia—"The Circus Cowboy".
Dominion—"The Enemy Sex".
Pantages—"The Custard Cup".
Playhouse—"The Girl on the Film".
Capitol—"Twenty-one."

Barthelme Dances to Pipes of Pan When Film Parent Says so

If you were a husky young man of nineteen years who liked to box, play football and engage in other rugged manly sports, how would you like it if your mother mollycoddled you, dancing the dances of the nymphs and sylphs, with a leopard skin across your manly breast and a lute at your lips, as modern maidens now?

CAPITOL—To-day RICHARD BARTHELMESS

"Twenty-one"

ALSO CAPITOL NEWS AND COMEDY

DOMINION—TO-NIGHT Musical Attraction De Luxe

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IN "The Circus Cowboy"

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CAPITAL NEXT WEEK

"The Perfect Flapper"

with COLLEEN
MOORE

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Perhaps you'd do as Richard Barthelme does in "Twenty-One," the First National picture at the Capitol Theatre. Dick, as Julian McCullough, the "victim" of his mother's social ambitions, takes a hop-skip-and-jump into the artificial swimming pool around which this lawn fete is being staged and thus puts himself permanently out of the function.

Then our hero turns to a pretty little girl, ready for companionship, runs away to the big city to stay in hiding until he becomes of age, becomes a taxicab driver and finds plenty of adventure, with life no longer a deadly bore to him.

Three Boys' Struggle to Keep Farm Going on Playhouse Screen

If you were a husky young man of nineteen years who liked to box, play football and engage in other rugged manly sports, how would you like it if your mother mollycoddled you, dancing the dances of the nymphs and sylphs, with a leopard skin across your manly breast and a lute at your lips, as modern maidens now?

The three greatest boys gracing the screen in their newest comedy-drama, "The Country Kid," appear now on the Playhouse screen. They are Wesley Barry, the lad of freckled fame, "Spec" O'Donnell, who in an acrobatic count, runs him a close second, and last, but not least, the youngest member, "Baby" Bruce Guerne, who hasn't grown a single freckle as yet, in his four years on earth.

Supporting them in the cast are: Kit Tutenay, Helen Jerome Eddy, George Nichols, Edward Burns, and George C. Pearce. The story was written directly for the screen by Julian Josephson, who wrote so many of Wesley Barry's previous successes, and is directed by William Beaudine, who knows how to bring out the best in the boys.

It is a simple, homely story, one of

PANTAGES TO-DAY

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TO-NIGHT

Halfax, July 24.—Announcement is made of the sale of \$3,500,000 worth of Nova Scotia Government Bonds at favorable terms than any other Government in Canada in recent years. An issue of two-year bonds, totaling \$2,000,000, bearing interest at 4½ per cent, was sold to the Bank of Montreal, the National Bank of New York, and Brown Brothers of New York, at 100.17. A second issue of \$1,500,000 ten-year bonds with interest at five per cent, was sold to A. E. Ames and Company of Toronto, and Mounts Brothers of New York, at 100.55.

Colleen Moore Once Wrote Plays Drawing Neighborhood Fans

Colleen Moore, star of "The Perfect Flapper," which opened at the Capitol Theatre on Monday, was once both playwright and performer in dual roles. The First National star also promoted the exploitation schemes for a juvenile stock company she formed at Tampa, Fla., in the days when she was going to school there at the Convent of the Holy Name.

"The Custard Cup" has been put into screen form by Fox Film Corporation, with Mary Care as "Penzie," the cheerful and optimistic little woman, who always ready to help friends and neighbors. The picture was directed by Herbert Brenon. Other members of the cast are Peggy Shaw, Myra Bonillas, Miriam Battista, Leslie Leigh, Ben Lyon, Henry Sedley, Frederick Esmeal and Jerry Devine.

The story of "The Custard Cup" and the character played by Mrs. Care are entirely different from anything in which this fine actress has appeared. Optimism is the keynote of the story and the chief distributor of sunshine and happiness is Mrs. Penfield, known to her neighbors and her adopted children as "Penzie."

The serious thread running through the plot is human and appealing, and there is a strong dramatic interest in many of the situations, but it is the cheerful courage with which "Penzie" meets her own difficulties in life and helps her friends to solve theirs that should prove one of the best features of the picture. An unconscious practitioner of the Coue theory is "Penzie," at her best.

"We charged our cent admission to our shows and we had barrels of fun, for all the neighbors came. An old man had given me an old full-dress coat and I wore this," laughed Colleen, "whenver I portrayed the villain, using little black mustache to give the proper air of villainy. The women wore trousers, cowboy type, you know, and my only change in costume for the 'heavy' part was to slip on the dress coat. The chaps and the swallow-tail made a rare and ludicrous combination, I can tell you. They never failed to get a laugh."

"The Perfect Flapper," which was directed by John Francis Dillon, is a pretentious production with remarkable casts, including Sydney Chaplin, Frank Mayo, Phyllis Havner, Lydia Knott, Charles Wellesley and others.

Betty Compson is Purposeful Flapper in "The Enemy Sex"

The old boy's always bounding in Optimists never worry about that. They have found the easiest and surest way of combating the disadvantages of a busy city life.

He takes no heed of the obstacles in his path. Lightly he skims over the difficulties that cause other men so much trouble in life. He succeeds because he is inspired by the will to succeed.

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If not, it is because your internal organs have forgotten how to perform their functions properly. The result is that impurities of all kinds collect in the body and enter the blood, lowering the tone of the whole system, and weakening its resistance to disease germs.

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25c Pure Glycerine 18¢

50c Parrish's Chemical Food 35¢

60c Chase's Nerve Food 47¢

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50c Gin Pills 32¢

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10c Lifebuoy Soap 5¢

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THEY BROKE ENDURANCE RECORD.—Lieutenant John Price and Frank W. Wead, naval aviators at Anacostia, District of Columbia, who broke non-stop seaplane duration record, by remaining in the air for fourteen hours and fifty-three minutes, after flying 1,650 miles. They were finally forced down by a heavy fog.



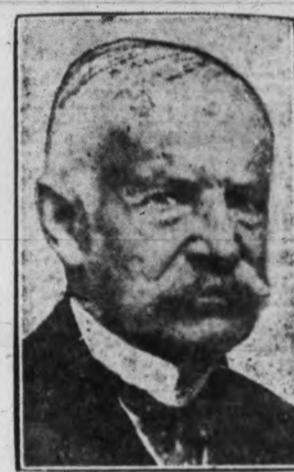
SURVIVED ORDEAL.—Margaret Murchison, the sixteen-year-old Barrie girl, who survived the ordeal of drifting for three days and nights on Lake Simcoe, Ont., when Edgar Smith, her brother-in-law, and Wilbur Hoskin lost their lives.



ALL PLAY AT IT.—A few years ago man claimed outdoor sport as his sole prerogative. To-day, motor camping has changed that by giving us the most delightful outdoor sport of all in which every member of the family may share.



HARRY THAW'S FADE-OUT.—In this peaceful country estate at Winchester, Va., Harry K. Thaw now plans to stage a peaceful "fade-out" to his hectic life story. Determined upon the quiet, simple life of gentleman-farmer, the chief figure of one of the most sensational cases in criminal history has purchased this idyllic southern farm with the avowed intention of settling down. What a contrast to the lurid flesh pots that figured in his spectacular trial!



TO RESIGN.—It is anticipated that His Honor MacCallum Grant, Lieutenant-governor of Nova Scotia, who is nearly eighty years of age, is about to resign through ill-health.



BRITAIN'S ENVOY?—A physician may be Great Britain's first ambassador to soviet Russia. He is Dr. Leslie Haden Guest, now a member of parliament. Although official confirmation is lacking, it is understood he already has been agreed upon for the post.



WHO BRANDED HIM?—The letters "K.K.K." are seared upon his back. But Rev. Orrin Van Loon of Berkley, Mich., a Detroit suburb, insists he remembers nothing of the branding. The minister had started for Lake Orion, Mich., to attend a Bible conference. Nearly two weeks later he was found unconscious on the streets of Battle Creek. He had lost thirty pounds and his hair had turned from gray to white. Doctors declared he had been drugged. Rev. Van Loon said he recalled nothing from the time he cashed a cheque at a bank in Royal Oak; near his home, until he awakened in the hospital in Battle Creek.



CHAMPION MARATHONER.—Alben Stenroos, Finland, the wonderful Finnish woodworker, who won the Olympic marathon at Paris in 3 hours 42 minutes 22 3-5 seconds.



PERSHING AT BELGIUM'S SHRINE.—General John J. Pershing, while in Brussels, paid his respect to the memory of Belgium's unknown soldier. He and his party are seen here arriving at the tomb.



REPRESENTS CANADA.—Senator Belcourt, who is in London to look after Canada's interests at the Inter-Allied Conference where the question of Dominion representation is still a finally unsettled matter. Senator Belcourt's attitude has been that he should be allowed a seat at all sessions, which might vitally affect this country.



STAR BERRY PICKERS.—Strawberry season is in full swing in Ontario, and with an abundant crop berries have been selling at three or four boxes for a quarter in Toronto and other cities. The most expert pickers are Indians from the Brant Reserve, who come down and live on the strawberry plantations for the three week's period. A group of them is shown above.

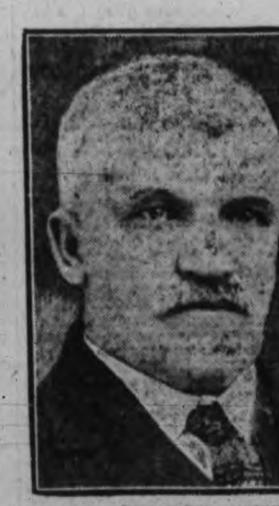
SCHOOL DAYS

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STUDIES SLUMS.—Gang life, slums, unhappy marriages. These are just a few of the things University of Chicago sociological students are going to look into. A \$75,000 gift—\$50,000 from the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial Fund and \$25,000 from other sources—will finance the investigations. Prof. Charles E. Merriam (above) will have charge of the work.



THIS PREMIER WANTED BEER.—Acting-Premier the Hon. A. P. McNab of Saskatchewan, has expressed disappointment at the failure of the beer clause in the liquor referendum of that Province. The possibility is freely discussed of the government recommending some measure by which municipalities desirous of securing it could have a system of strictly regulated licensed premises.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks
and Financial Affairs

STEADY TONE IN STOCKS

New York, July 24.—By R. P. Clark & Co.—To-day's market was a rather mixed affair. In most departments hesitation was the order of things, while a few of the low-priced rails like Erie and New Haven displayed conspicuous strength.

Quite a little profit-taking was observable in the industrial department also the rail and copper sections of the list. The oils were inclined to exhibit a willingness to go forward but were probably held in check by the hesitancy and opposition to bulges encountered in the major portion of the stock list. In the last couple of days there has been quite a little selling by the so-called professional traders on the assumption that the market is entitled to a reaction growing chiefly out of technical considerations. Consequently there has been rather strong opposition to advancing tendencies in a large number of stocks and it is not particularly surprising another fair-to-shoot interest has been built up. News from the other side touching on the status of things politically was interpreted in a more favorable way. The car loadings for the week while below last year were appreciably larger than the previous week and for the corresponding week in 1922. Recent advances from the steel trade seem to be a little more cheerful in tone. More favorable reports with respect to trade doings are sweeping in from the agricultural tent.

A reaction in the market of moderate proportions may be registered but we do not look for any setback in quotations of consequence at this time and accordingly believe that price declines if any should be used to make fresh purchases.

BETHLEHEM STEEL PASSES DIVIDEND

By B. A. Bond.—The stock market to-day displayed very little tendency as far as a general movement is concerned. There were a few strong features in the rails, notably the Eries and Rock Island issues. The railroad group as a whole was the strongest, and while a few industrials showed strength at times, last Saturday there were many declines from yesterday's finale. The under-tone, however, is very firm and the short interest in the market, which is believed to be of very substantial proportions, does not seem to have increased at all.

After the close to-day it was announced that the Bethlehem Steel Corporation directors had passed the dividend on their common stock for the second quarter at six cents per share on the common after preferred dividends and charges.

GRAINS ERRATIC IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill., July 24 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: Although the Canadian news still is as bullish as ever the edge was off the demand for wheat-to-a considerable extent, and rallies did not hold. Profit-taking was heavy and there was also some demand for short interest on the heavy covering yesterday. Hedging pressure somewhere in the rally with Illinois selling considerable wheat while local receipts include considerable wheat in the southwest primary receipts were much smaller than a week ago. The crop experts in Canada maintain their estimates and black rust also is found in southern Manitoba. The dry weather did not develop to our advance as expected, and the spot demand abroad was not so active. With the Canadian crop losses admitted even in conservative quarters, it is only a question of time when Europe will come for our wheat, and the farmers will be the price dictators this year. While the market will advance too fast at times without a little upward reaction, we believe the trend is upward and that bold long lines should be replaced on fair setbacks.

Corn: Better weather and larger receipts with a lessened general demand were responsible for a weaker tone in corn with both old crop and new futures easy. Cash prices were steady relatively with sales of 45,000 bushels. Receipts 19 cars with countries evidently inclined to sell more freely at current prices. Deliveries were 25,000 bushels. The northern portions of the belt are showing decided improvement, any further advance at the moment appears likely to be in sympathy with wheat, however, we do not look for any material setback.

Oats: A local expert estimates an oats crop of 200,000,000 bushels in the nine surplus states comparing with 120,000,000 bushels a year ago. The harvest, however, is late, there is a small carry over, and the cash situation is fairly strong. Receipts fifty-nine cars with a new crop coming on shortly would be cautious on buying side of the rallies.

Rye: Followed general trend of wheat, but was not able to sell off later. No change in cash developments. Russian reports are bullish, and a better export demand before long is not only possible, but probable.

REACTION AT CLOSE IN CHICAGO GRAINS

Chicago, July 24 (By B. A. Bond)—A two-sided grain market developed to day with reports regarding the Canadian crop were rather conflicting. Early quotations were slightly lower, but wheat features subsequently rose to new highs and carried corn along with them, but corn futures did not share anything in the upward direction. The advances were all lost and the market closed near the low prices of the day. The advance yesterday was too rapid and most traders were inclined to accept quick profits and wait a steady and winter when the active mining

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"Perhaps we'll see you later," she suggested.

"Yes—ah—why not dine with us old man?" said Trent a bit late.

Amory shook his head.

"Sorry. I'm leaving late this afternoon. See you in the morning. You'll have to look after Mrs. Smith, George." He turned to Natalie with a smile thinly edged in malice.

"It is my fortune to see Sheldon when I return to America I shall tell him that I left you in good hands."

The lashes lifted.

"Have you noticed that?" she asked softly.

He took out a cigar, lit it, puffed at it once or twice.

"Are you fighting with me?" he inquired through the smoke.

"No, no. We chatted without the least show of being offended. I shouldn't dull my poor weapons on you. You once told me my limitations. You said that if it came to a choice between your former wife and me, you would choose me."

"Ah yes. And there was Barry's to be read several times?" he questioned jealously.

She shook her head laughingly.

"None from Barry. I haven't even seen his last letter. It was written dear me more than a month ago. What a wretchedly neglectful correspondent I am!"

His eyes lighted.

"You have not written to him since—since we met?"

She shook her head silently. His eyes met hers and her widened slowly at what he saw.

He made a move toward her, oblivious of the crowded terrace. She said quickly:

"Where are my violets? You promised to get them from the little flower-girl at the gate."

"I wanted to get them. While I waited, I was thinking only of you."

He swung across the terrace. Feminine eyes followed him and returned enviously to Natalie.

Robert Amory, coming suddenly on to the terrace, and seeing her, sauntered over.

"Where's your shadow?" he asked brusquely.

She smiled with that demure downward flutter of her lashes which so disconcerted him.

"Mr. Trent went to get me violets."

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"It is my fortune to see Sheldon when I return to America I shall tell him that I left you in good hands."

The lashes lifted.

"Have you noticed that?" she asked softly.

He took out a cigar, lit it, puffed at it once or twice.

"Are you fighting with me?" he inquired through the smoke.

"No, no. We chatted without the least show of being offended. I shouldn't dull my poor weapons on you. You once told me my limitations. You said that if it came to a choice between your former wife and me, you would choose me."

"Ah yes. And there was Barry's to be read several times?" he questioned jealously.

She shook her head laughingly.

"None from Barry. I haven't even seen his last letter. It was written dear me more than a month ago. What a wretchedly neglectful correspondent I am!"

His eyes lighted.

"You have not written to him since—since we met?"

She shook her head silently. His eyes met hers and her widened slowly at what he saw.

He made a move toward her, oblivious of the crowded terrace. She said quickly:

"Where are my violets? You promised to get them from the little flower-girl at the gate."

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OAK BAY DEAF TO VICTORIA-SAANICH

Not a Single Councillor Accepts Invitation of Beaches Committee

Not a single member of the Oak Bay Council took advantage of the invitation extended to attend yesterday's meeting of Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee to see how the committee functioned with a view to co-operation along similar lines in the future. Alderman Todd said the discussion at the recent conference of the Oak Bay had aroused hopes that the municipality would fall in line. He referred to the number of residents of Oak Bay who used the beaches and parks of Saanich and declared that if the beaches and parks were to be controlled by those over whom the committee had jurisdiction and Oak Bay councillors sat on the committee, it would work to the advantage of Victoria and the two municipalities. A supervisor to patrol the beaches and parks could be appointed for one thing, he mentioned.

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Alderman Allison in charge of the development work at Elk Lake reported that he had had to request a number of campers to leave, camping being forbidden in the district. Signs will be posted stating that owing to the lack of supervision and necessary facilities camping is not allowed.

Beaver Lake is now much used and the road to it is in need of repairs it was reported. Saanich and the committee will share the expense of placing signs in aid of the park.

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The \$1,200 appropriated for Memorial Avenue had been spent, the committee was informed.

The British American Paint Company will hold its picnic Saturday at the northern end of Elk Lake, the South Saanich Farmers and Gardeners Association of Oak Bay has expressed hopes that the municipality would fall in line. He referred to the number of residents of Oak Bay who used the beaches and parks of Saanich and declared that if the beaches and parks were to be controlled by those over whom the committee had jurisdiction and Oak Bay councillors sat on the committee, it would work to the advantage of Victoria and the two municipalities. A supervisor to patrol the beaches and parks could be appointed for one thing, he mentioned.

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Not Changes in Charges For Saanich and Esquimalt Pupils

Charges of \$15 each for pupils from Saanich attending the Victoria High School and \$100 for pupils from Esquimalt other than those taking the technical course for whom an extra charge of \$10 is made, were decided upon at a special meeting of the City School Board held yesterday afternoon. The difference in the charge made to the municipalities is explained by the fact that Saanich sends an average of 150 scholars to the High School each year while Esquimalt has a High School in its own municipality which most of the Esquimalt pupils attend.

Reference was made to reports that Saanich would build a High School in the municipality, and Trustee Litchfield suggested that no scale should be set which would restrain action. Trustee Hayes, however, referred to the bulk of Saanich contemplating building was heard about this time each year.

Miss L. Blasetti was appointed for a period of six months as senior stenographer in the School Board office.

The purchase of equipment for the girls' rest room at the high school was authorized.

The City Engineer Preston Will Give Estimate of Cost to Joint Committee

Following the discussion at the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce last Monday on a water supply for Saanich peninsula, the matter was discussed at the meeting of the Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee yesterday. While the supply of water for the Game Farm at Elk was being considered the question of a supply for the peninsula was brought up.

The City Engineer was asked to prepare estimates of the cost of constructing a main through the peninsula to give a domestic supply of Sooke Lake water.

Government representatives will be invited to attend conference on the water supply for the game farm at Elk Lake. It was stated that it would be obtained from the water tower in the Royal Oak Cemetery. Doubts were expressed as to whether this would be acceptable to the Cemetery Board. The Board had installed its own water system laying its own main from Royal Oak and there might not be sufficient supply for both purposes, it was said.

Alderman Todd, Alderman Sangster and Reeve Macnichol spoke on the advantages of the service. A main sufficiently large to supply the peninsula with water should be put down, said Alderman Todd in sections, a small amount done each year and paid for each year.

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Under Assistant District Commissioner H. T. Ravenhill the picked troop of Victoria and District Scouts arrived back in the city last evening from a tour of Sea Scout centres on the Island. L. J. Dodd, submaster of the 7th Esquimalt Forest Pack, England accompanied the party, which consisted of ten boys from local units.

The boys returned tanned by the sun and fit from two weeks of steady cycling. At one point in their tour the troop cycled forty-five miles in five hours. The total distance covered was in the neighborhood of 300 miles.

The troop consisted of two patrols, as follows:

L. J. Dutton, of Fairfield Troop; R. White, James Bay Troop; S. Archbold, Collegiate Troop; D. McDonald, Sidney Troop; B. Tobin, Fairfield Troop.

Beavers—W. Deans, of Collegiate Troop; W. Walsh, of St. Mary's Troop; W. Walsh, of Fairfield Troop; W. Dixon, of James Bay Troop; Gordon Douglas, of Sidney Troop.

They visited Cobble Hill, Duncan, Ladysmith, Nanaimo, Parksville, Errington, Qualicum Beach, Comox, Campbell River, Alert Bay, Port Alberni, Cassidy, Chemainus, Cowichan Station, Shawnigan Lake and other up-island points.

Everywhere the boys were welcomed, staying in return demonstrations of their Scout activities.

This evening the cyclists will be feted at the Fairfield Camp, Bay and Finnerty Roads, at 8 p.m., when they will give an account of the tour.

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All the elaborate automobiles and caravan cars that have been seen in Victoria since the opening of the automobile camp and the mushroom growth of similar camps throughout Canada and the United States have been eclipsed by the luxurious travelling home specially built for H. T. Hopper, banker of Upland, California. He is making a tour of the Pacific Northwest. He is accompanied by S. J. Halliday, M. J. Gibson and W. G. Cox. Mr. Cox is the driver of the car, and since they left Upland they have been taking in the scenery at the leisurely pace of about 200 miles a day putting up at auto camps on the way or at any other desirable spot.

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A three gas burner is installed in the car for cooking purposes. There is a portable sink and a host of other minor luxuries that the average auto tourist is forced to forego.

When the party is camped in the wilds away from shows or other attractions a fine radio set tunes in and brings music and news of the outside world.

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